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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **SHIRAISHI, Masashi et al.**

Group Art Unit: **3729**

Serial No.: **10/705,884**

Examiner: **Paul D. KIM**

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For: **A MANUFACTURING METHOD OF A HEAD GIMBAL ASSEMBLY
(As Amended)**

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

October 24, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **August 24, 2005**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE TITLE:

Please amend the title to read as follows:

A METHOD OF MANUFACTURING A HEAD GIMBAL ASSEMBLY